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FM AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 8442

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C O N F I D E N T I A L DAR ES SALAAM 1833

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: CASC (SMITH, HUNTER)

SUBJECT: KIDNAPPED AMERICANS: ANOTHER POSSIBLE PRESS LEAK

REF: DAR ES SALAAM 1832

1. WE HAVE JUST PICKED UP SECOND POSSIBILITY OF PRESS LEAK ON STEINER MISSION (DAR REFTEL). THIS STORY REPORTS STEINER HAS TRAVELED TO BUJUMBURA AND NEGOTIATIONS ARE UNDERWAY WITH ZAIRE TO PERMIT STEINER TO ENTER COUNTRY AND CONTACT REBELS. STEINER IS QUOTE AWAITING PERMISSION UNQUOTE OF ZAIRE GOVERNMENT.

2. WE ARE TRYING TO GET REMOVED FROM THIS STORY TOO ANY REFERENCE TO ZAIRE. I AM NOT SURE WE WILL BE SUCCESSFUL.

3. MUST ASSUME THESE LEAKS HAVE COME FROM PARENTS. I HAVE BRIEFED PARENTS IN SOME DETAIL AS EVENTS HAVE DEVELOPED IN KIDNAPPING. THOUGH I HAVE URGED NEED FOR THEM NOT TO TALK ABOUT INFORMATION GIVEN THEM IN THESE BRIEFINGS, I NOW REALIZE THAT SUCH ADMONITIONS HAVE NOT BEEN ENOUGH AND I WILL HAVE TO BE MUCH MORE CIRCUMSPECT  
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WITH THEM. I WILL TELL THEM SO TOMORROW, STRESSING THAT I DO

THIS TO TRY TO ASSURE THE WELL BEING OF THE STUDENTS STILL  
HELD CAPTIVE.  
CARTER

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